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In re patent of:

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**For: Diacylhydrazine Ligands for  
Modulating the Expression of  
Exogenous Genes in Mammalian  
Systems Via an Ecdysone Receptor  
Complex**

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**Second Request for Certificate of Correction  
Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.323 For Applicant's Mistake**

*Attn: Certificate of Correction Branch*

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

It is hereby requested that a Certificate of Correction under 37 C.F.R. § 1.323 be issued for the above-captioned United States Patent. This Certificate of Correction is being requested due to mistakes which appear in the printed patent. The mistakes made by Applicants are of a clerical or typographical nature, or of a minor character. Applicants submit that correction of these errors does not introduce new matter.

Specifically, the printed patent contains the following errors for which a Certificate of Correction is respectfully requested:

At column 99, lines 57 and 62, column 101, lines 33 and 37, column 102, lines 28 and 32; and column 103, lines 29 and 34, "substitutents" should read -- substituents --;

At column 100, line 66, column 101, line 63, and column 102, line 58,  
" $-\text{C}=\text{NOR}^d$ " should read --  $(-\text{CH}=\text{NOR}^d)$  --; and

At column 101, lines 2 and 66, column 102, line 61, and column 103, line 58,  
" $-\text{C}=\text{NNHC}(\text{O})\text{NR}^e\text{R}^f$ " should read --  $(-\text{CH}=\text{NNHC}(\text{O})\text{NR}^e\text{R}^f)$  --.

### ***Remarks***

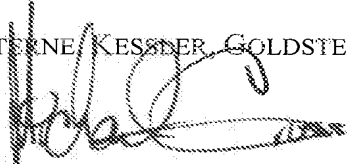
At present, claims 1-4 contain the following typographical errors:  
1) "substitutents" should read "substituents" in the definition of Y; 2) " $-\text{C}=\text{NOR}^d$ " should read " $(-\text{CH}=\text{NOR}^d)$ " in the definition of  $\text{R}^5/\text{R}^6$ ; and 3) " $-\text{C}=\text{NNHC}(\text{O})\text{NR}^e\text{R}^f$ " should read " $(-\text{CH}=\text{NNHC}(\text{O})\text{NR}^e\text{R}^f)$ " in the definition of  $\text{R}^5/\text{R}^6$ . Support for items 2) and 3) is found in the radicals themselves where hydrogen is implied, the definition of the radical "oximo ( $-\text{CH}=\text{NOH}$ )" in claims 1-4, and compounds e) and l) of claim 5. These changes correct obvious mistakes of minor character and do not involve such changes in the patent as would constitute new matter or would require reexamination.

A completed Form PTO/SB/44 accompanies this request, with the above-noted corrections printed thereon. Accordingly, a Certificate of Correction of these errors is believed proper and issuance of a Certificate of Correction is respectfully requested.

This request is accompanied by payment of the fee set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.20(a). Fee payment is provided through online credit card payment. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fee deficiency, or credit any overpayment, to our Deposit Account No. 19-0036.

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